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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

New nonprovisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b)

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages  ]
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Pages  ]
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration [Total Pages  ]
  - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)  
[Note Box 5 below]
    - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)).
5. ☒ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked). The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix) Hard Copy Only

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7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)

- a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy  
b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

#### DOCUMENTS ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☒ Assignment Papers (copy of recorded Assignment enclosed)
9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copy of IDS Citation
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☒ Small Entity Statement(s) ☒ Statement filed in prior application, status still proper and desired. (copy enclosed)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Other: .....

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check the appropriate box and supply the requisite information.

☐ Continuation ☒ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) ...of prior application No.: 09/403,580

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20. ☒ Small entity status:

- a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.
- b. ☒ A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. ☐ Is no longer claimed.

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- a. ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 for the application or any amendment thereto, once any check for fees submitted herewith has been taken into account
- b. ☒ Fees required under 37 CFR 1.17

22. ☒ A check payable to the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office in the amount of \$345.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fee.

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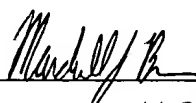
24. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT (REQUIRED)

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